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Northern Nuggets

Miss Smith, of Calgary, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones and Edith arrived home from their trip and report a very enjoyable time.

A U.F.A. meeting was held at Albert school on Thursday night. There has been plenty of flu making the rounds lately. If you haven't had it you're very fortunate.

Mr. and Mrs. David Smith left last Sunday for their home at Ponoka.

Miss Joyce Cook, has gone home after spending some time at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones.

Easterly Echoes

Miss Caroline Morse is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sanders.

Mr. George McLean and sons Lloyd and Alex left Monday for a lumber camp in B.C. where they have secured employment.

A Sunny Brae and Crescent Hill community picnic was held at Crescent Hill school on Saturday last. A pickup softball game, races for all, a peanut scramble and horseshoe comprised the entertainment. A picnic supper with all the ice cream all could eat brought an enjoyable time to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fenton had a visit from their grandson, Mr. Allison Carter and Mrs. Carter of Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Carter of Wainwright accompanied them.

Mr. Gordon Elliott was a business visitor in Edmonton.

The next meeting of the Battle River W.I. will be held August 10th at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Ralph King. The roll call to be answered by "Suggestions for Roll Calls." The program to be in charge of Mrs. H. Pascha, draw Mrs. M. Ender and hostesses Mrs. King and Mrs. C. Steele.

WANTED

Applications will be received by the undersigned until August 20th for positions as Correspondence Supervisors in Rural Schools in the Wainwright School Division No. 32. Applicants will please state age and qualifications in respect to high school training in first letter. Particulars will be mailed to all applicants.

Oliver G. Griffiths, Wainwright School Division, Wainwright, Alberta.

"We (United States and Canada) have more things in common than any other two nations in the world." —Dr. James J. McCann, MP.

Glen-Coa Gleanings

Miss Betty MacKay was also among those who attended the Luther League Convention at Grand Prairie last week. Now Betty has accepted a position at the Sunset Home at Bawlf.

The Mills children of Edmonton are spending their holidays at the Smallwood farm.

Mrs. B. Gulbraa has returned home after her week's holiday at Banff. Her sister, Laura Likness of Consort, is visiting at the Gulbraa home at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Larson and little son are visiting in our district for a short time. Mr. and Mrs. Larson have made their home at Brooks, this past year, where Olaf is Superintendent of Schools.

We are pleased to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reitan among us again.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halvorsen are Edmonton visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Reitan are spending a few days at Sylvan Lake this week, where they are taking in a few days of Bible Camp of the Canadian Lutheran Bible Institute of Camrose.

A number of Ladies' Aid members of Sharon motored to Bethanis (near Sedgewick) on Thursday afternoon, August 5th to attend a W.M.F. rally.

The new barn on the Fuder farm is going up rapidly. It looks both large and well built. We know how Harold is going to appreciate it next winter.

Sharon Ladies' Aid meets at the home of Mrs. N. Fluevog on Thursday, August 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson of Edmonton were weekend visitors at the Hollinger home. Their son, Gordon, who has been visiting at Hollinger's for some time, accompanied his parents back to Edmonton.

JULY BIRTHS AT VIKING HOSPITAL

Born:

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Elliott of Irma, on July 4, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Olson of Jarow, on July 28, a son.

"We cannot impose our way of life on any nation, nor can they impose their way of life on us." —M. J. Coldwell, MP.

"The idea of worshipping God is inherent in man, not something that comes from outside of himself." —Pandit Rishi Ram.

"In a country like ours, we believe in God and we derive all human rights from God." Eugene Marquis, M.P.

A. F. U. District Convention Present Important Resolutions

Following are a few of the important resolutions brought before the seventh annual convention of AFU District No. 8, which was held at Daysland on July 22.

Resolution 7—Resolved that we urge the Provincial Government to conserve our natural gas to the extent where the future development of industry in Alberta will be safeguarded. Moved by Herman Schiele, Edberg 211, seconded by Adolf Frank. Cd. unanimously.

In the discussion, it was brought out that Alberta can stop the export of gas but not of the company to do it. The decision could overrule it on the grounds of interprovincial trade.

Resolution 8—Resolved that the final payment on wheat for the five year period be not less than \$2.00 per bushel in any one year, for No. 1 Northern, Fort William.

This Resolution came from the interprovincial council. Moved by Frank Zwack, seconded by Wm. Roth. Cd. unanimously.

Resolution 9. This from Palmer Local 140—As the Federal Gov't. has through the Canadian Wheat Board made wheat contracts with foreign countries at prices far below the world price for many years Palmer A.F.U. Local No. 140 goes on record protesting the methods by which the Canadian Wheat Board has disposed of the Canadian Wheat and the Canadian Government should be compelled to pay the difference between the contract price and the open market price on wheat, and coarse grains sold throughout the many years past. Moved by Hans Huseby, Edberg 211, seconded by Thomas Brad, Palmer 140. Resolution lost.

Resolution 10—Whereas there are strong indications that the Provincial and Federal Elections may be held this year and;

Whereas a great number of A.F.U. members may have difficulties in making their decisions on these issues;

Therefore be it Resolved that the Victoria A.F.U. Local 386 go on record demanding that our A.F.U. office and Board of Directors contact various candidates and political parties that we will have in the field, to obtain written statements from them on their party's stand and record to the Alberta Farmers Union and its program, their attitude or intentions circualarized amongst the A.F.U. Locals as received.

That the Resolution be tabled, motion by Wm. Roth, seconded by Herman Schiele. Cd.

Resolution 11—Whereas the A.F.A. is made up of 85% Co-op representation, and

Whereas we believe bonafide farmers organizations should act and speak for themselves and their Co-ops

Therefore be it resolved that we request our Board of Directors to demand and strive for a majority representation from the bonafide direct membership farmer organizations of Alberta on the A.F.A. Resolution moved by Abel Blumgreen, Glen Park 193, seconded by Oscar Moberg, Sunlight 850, Cd.

Resolution 12—Whereas the lack of information on the activities of the United Nations security council causes confusion; and

Whereas the people are primarily affected and therefore interested;

Therefore be it Resolved that we demand the minutes of the United Nations Security Council be made available to any organization on request. No action taken as it was not moved.

Resolution 13—Whereas the cost of administering the V.L.A. will cost us more than giving the veterans the land and money free of charge;

Therefore be it Resolved that the veterans be given full clearance of their indebtedness to the V.L.A. and those still applying in future be given some privilege. No action taken—dropped.

Resolution 14—That we ask that the Income Tax forms be greatly

reduced and simplified. Moved by Fred Hanson, seconded by Cecil Keast. Cd. unanimously.

Resolution 15. Co-op Packing Plant—Resolved that this Convention of A.F.U. District 8 favors a farmer owned Co-op Meat Packing Plant and asks the Union to do everything it can to further this project. Moved by Frank Zwack, seconded by Wm. Roth. Cd. unanimously.

In the discussion it was brought out that the workers in the plant would wish to be shareholders as well as producers. The British Co-op have had a delegation over here, they want to supply the capital to build Co-op meat packing plants and flour mills—they would take entire output if in exchange we would take British made goods as straight barter up to 70% of value. Would be straight barter with the British Consumer Co-ops.

Resolution 16. Daysland 109—Whereas no satisfactory variety suitable for northern districts is available

Resolved that we therefore oppose the degrading of Red Bobs (222) wheat as it would cause great hardship to most farmers in northern districts. Moved by Sam Koehli, seconded by Arthur Gentler. Cd. unanimously.

Resolution 17—Resolved that the Alberta Government send copies of the Alberta Motor Vehicle Act, especially the section regarding tractors, to A.F.U. Central Office, and that Central Office forward copies to every local. This was sponsored by Edberg Local 211. Moved by Cecil Keast, seconded by Sam Pearce. Cd. unanimously.

Whereas government grants to municipalities are only given for market roads (secondary highways) and

Whereas this only benefits a few

Therefore be it resolved that all government grants be given to the municipalities without stipulations where to spend it. Moved by Arthur Ginter, seconded by Frank Zwack. Cd. unanimously.

Resolution 18. Longridge Local 95.—Whereas Oil and Mining Co. are allowed development expenses as an income tax deduction;

Therefore be it resolved that we demand that farmers be allowed the cost of brushing and breaking as a development expense. Moved by Cecil Keast, seconded by August Hitman, Camrose West 742. Cd.

Per Resolution 19—The A.F.U. delegation to Ottawa has been promised that 20 acres per quarter, per year will be allowed as expense. This is to avoid land breaking speculation schemes.

Resolution 20. AFU Board, sponsor.—Whereas the present Municipal Districts Act allows the elected Councilors to become a distasteful body inferior as the ratepayers are concerned; and

Whereas under the present set up, the Annual Municipal District Meeting is useless as far as any mandate given to the Councilors by the ratepayers is concerned;

Therefore be it Resolved that the Municipal Districts Act be amended at the next session of the Legislature to read:

"Any motions or resolutions passed at an annual meeting, instructing the Council on policy, should be posted in each of the sub-districts, and newspapers within the M.D., for a period of 30 days, and upon a petition being signed by 50 ratepayers in any one sub-division, a plebiscite can be secured; in the event no petition is presented to the Council, the resolutions passed at the annual meeting be carried out. Moved by Oscar Moberg, seconded by Jacob Christensen. Cd. unanimously.

Resolution 21.—Whereas the present compulsory government car insurance isn't satisfactory

Therefore be it resolved that the government issue a compulsory five point insurance policy at cost. Moved by D. Kahl, Lyncott 214, seconded by S. Koehli. Cd.

Mr. Stimpfle addressed the ev-

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Items From Kinsella And District

Miss Elaine Laidler is holidaying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Powell.

Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Olsenberg spent a few days in Edmonton recently.

Mrs. R. Stevens is visiting relatives in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Corbett and family of Edmonton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Arkansall last week.

Miss D. Wilkinson of Calgary is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilkinson and Miss B. Olsenberg.

Under the auspices of the Kinsella branch of the Canadian Legion, a most successful sports and dance were held on Wednesday, July 28th. Sports events much enjoyed, included, ball games, horse show, potato race, numerous foot races, and decorated bicycle contest. Midway games on the grounds were well patronized and a fully stocked booth, furnished refreshments for all.

The members of the Legion, wish to thank all those who helped in any way to make the sports and dance such a success.

Following are the results of the day:

Men's Softball
Asplomb 1st; Kinsella 2nd; Metropolitan 3rd.

Boys' Softball
Kinsella 1st.

Girls' Softball
Kinsella 1st.

Decorated Bicycles
1st, Malcolm McKie.

Horse Show
Pony—1st, Malcolm McKie; 2nd, Clifton Holt.

Saddle horse—1st, Bud Henderson; 2nd, Neal Skori.

Stock horse—1st, Jack Barker; 2nd, Gordon Beaton.

Horseback Potato Race
1st, Everett Lancaster; 2nd, Barry Holt.

2nd Race:
1st, Phil Holt; 2nd, Tobe Smith.

RESULTS OF THE BRUCE STAMPEDE

Bronc Riding with Saddle
1. Bill McLean, Stony Plain.
2 and 3 split: Roy Newman, Vermilion and Jim Turner, Rock Creek B.C.

4th split 3 ways. Bill Saville, Hardisty, Bill Brown, Viking, Wally Lindstrom, Big Valley.

Wild Steer Decorating
1. Ernie Dorin, Bruce 6 1/2 sec.
2. Glen McQuay, Nevis, 9 1/2 sec.
3. Wally Grave, Lacombe, 12 1/2 sec.
4. Fred Gladstone, Cardston, 13 1/2 sec.

Calf Roping
1. Albert Laye, Sounding Lake, 28 sec.
2. Harwood Potter, Cardston, 34 1/2 seconds.
3. Bill Laye, Sounding Lake, 36 1/2 sec.
4. Dave Ginther, 42 1/2 sec.

Bareback Riding
1 and 2 split. Jim Martin, Red Deer, Bill McLean, Stony Plain.
3 and 4 split. Bill Brown, Viking, Ernie Dorin, Bruce.

Wild Cow Milking
1. Fred Gladstone, Cardston
2. Orville Stanquist, Stettler.
3. Bill Laye, Sounding Lake.

Wild Horse Race
1. Albert Laye, Sounding Lake.
2. Ernie Dorin, Bruce.
3. Mill McLean, Stony Plain.

Chuck Wagon Race
1. Orville Stanquist, Stettler.
2. Jack Gill, Gadsby.
3. Stan Walker, Byemore.
4. Lawes Bros., Viking.

Chariot Race
1. J. Bailey.
2. W. Smith.
3. N. Tkaczyk.

Pony Race
1. J. Carlson.
2. H. Field.
3. N. Tkaczyk.

Free For All
1. J. Carlson.
2. Maxwell.
3. J. Bailey.

At the Churches

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11:00—Sunday school, classes for all ages.

8:00—Evangelistic service.

Friday, 8:00—Prayer meeting and Bible study.

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R. E. Oswald, pastor.

Romans 5:8, "But God commended His love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us."

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Sunday school and Bible class—11 a.m.

Gospel Service—7:30 p.m.

Wednesday:
Prayer meeting—8 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 12th:
Y.P.'s at Avonglen school—8 p.m.

You are invited. Everyone is welcome.

"And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you." Phil. 4:32.

WANT ADS

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Enterprise range in new condition (pre-war).—Mrs. M. Clelland.

23-30p

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30-6p

STRAYED

From E. Meyers—one white sow, about 400 lbs. Finder notify or phone R609. Reward.

6-13p

FOR RENT

Five room house in Irma, good lot and electric lights. Possession about Aug. 15th. Apply A. L. Johnson, Heath, Alta.

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Due to numerous inquiries received by this department, it is apparent that some confusion exists in the minds of the public and policy-holders, caused no doubt by the similarity in names, and any policy-holder of The Home Insurance Company of New York who may have received a notice from any Board or Corporation from which that policy-holder concluded that The Home Insurance Company of New York is in liquidation, is hereby requested to entirely disregard such notice.

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E. R. HUGHES, Superintendent of Insurance.

Government of the Province of Alberta

The Trend Of World Trade

WORLD TRADE IS ALWAYS a complex matter, and unsettled economic conditions abroad have caused much speculation as to the outcome of the present situation. Great Britain, always an important trading nation, has, because of the serious dollar shortage there, been forced to look more and more to those countries which are within the sterling area for the goods which she must import. Consequently in Canada, which is a "dollar country" there is some anxiety as to whether Britain will continue to buy the greater part of her imported food supplies here, or whether much of this trade may be diverted to countries within the sterling area. There is reason for some concern over this matter, since there are many indications that Britain intends to increase her purchases of food in those countries where the dollar shortage is not a consideration.

May Become A Competitor

It is believed that Australia may become an important competitor in supplying the British food market. Recently, Sir Henry Turner, of the United Kingdom Food Ministry, commenting on discussions which have taken place with the Australian government regarding large scale food production there, said that Australia could become "a vast granary for Britain and much of Europe." The British colonial territories in Africa and other parts of the world are likewise increasing food production and may soon be in a position to send supplies to the United Kingdom. A plan to raise millions of pigs, to supply bacon to the British market, is now under way in Queensland, and it is also planned to sow large areas in sunflowers, from which oil can be obtained to make margarine, which is widely used in Britain.

Plan Expansion In Australia

There are also plans for great expansion in the production of meat and eggs in Australia. In East Africa arrangements are being made to raise vast crops of ground nuts, a source of fats and oils, and food production is being encouraged in other areas where dollars are not required for trade. At present the world food situation is such that there are markets for all that is produced, and we have recently been warned that Canadians will be required to experience shortages in some things as a result of this country's participation in the European Recovery Program. There is no doubt, however, but that the future is uncertain, and that in all probability there will be many adjustments in the pattern of world trade. It is to be hoped that Canada will not find markets for her farm products depleted as a result of this apparently inevitable adjustment.

Tips On How To Keep Cool

NEW YORK.—Stop talking about the heat and humidity, and just relax—if you want to be cooler. This was the advice offered by a recognized psychologist who also tore down the old-fashioned belief that several layers of wool will keep out the heat.

The modern way of dressing sensibly is best, he said. Trouble with wearing too heavy clothing, he said, is that a person is hot before he gets it all on. Result, he keeps the heat right next to his body.

Some other suggestions on how to beat the heat were: Wear something on the head—unless you already have a good tan. This is particularly important for older persons.

Yes, fan yourself, but be sure it is with a regular rhythm. Do not exert yourself. Take a lesson from those in the tropics: be as quiet as possible during the heat of the day.

Gulping water by the gallon won't cool a person. It is harmful to health. It forces the heart to do extra pumping.

An alcoholic drink is all right, if not too much is taken. Heavy food should be avoided. Food easily digested and with light caloric content is the best if you want to stay cool.

Let the perspiration pour out. If you're normal, you should perspire.

It's part of your body's normal elimination process.

This psychologist, who was in the army medical corps, said suicide rates go up during the hot months. The heat and humidity bring on a depressed feeling.

So therefore, refrain from talking about the weather. Some weak person may destroy himself.

For the persons who ask "Is it hot enough for you?" the doctor has a remedy. It is:

Count ten, and then let him have it.

SENTRY WAS PUNISHED FOR BEING CARELESS

CHIPINGA, South Africa.—Pat Omdaal of Whittington, near Chipinga, discovered a troop of baboons on his property. He shot one and wounded two others while the rest raced away.

Baboons always place a sentry on guard to give warning when danger is near. When the baboons reached a place of safety, they tackled the sentry, biting and beating him, presumably for failing to report the presence of a human enemy.

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"ENGLAND EXPECTS EVERY MAN..." — This photograph shows Guardsman W. Brown doing his duty without batting an eye as two little Peruvian visitors to London look him over.

Days Of Peace Tough As War, Says Churchill

PERTH, Scotland.—Winston Churchill, accepting the freedom of the city with honors heretofore only given to royalty, warned that the days of peace were no less difficult than those of war.

"The biggest effort must be made not only in days of struggle and in war but in many ways the more difficult times of peace," Churchill said. He said the battle for peace requires the full, united effort of our whole nation, of all classes and parties in it, in order that we may arise again to the great position we held when all was dark."

Predicts Man May Fly Like Birds

CAMBRIDGE.—People may be able to fly like birds in 50 years, says Roger Babson. The economist told a 1938 class reunion at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

"There probably will be discovered some product which will enable us to stand on something three feet square and a few inches thick and eliminate his weight so that he could fly personally with or without the aid of a motor."

Night Driving Can Be Very Dangerous

Driving in the dazzling light of an oncoming car is dangerous business; dangerous alike to the dazzler and the dazzled. And it is so unnecessary. To dim the lights of a car is so simple and easy a task that it seems that the danger involved by not doing so would compel a motorist approaching another car at night to take this simple precaution against the possibility of accident to his own car as well as the cars of others. It should not take a law to bring about the dimming of headlights. Common decency demands that a motorist practice this simple rule of night driving etiquette, for it is etiquette, and good manners are just as essential on the roads as in the ballroom.

When You're WORN OUT and Worried

and drug around each day, unable to do the work—cranky with the children—feeling miserable, don't blame it on 'nerves'. Your kidneys may be out of order—for when kidneys fail the system clogs with impurities and headaches, backache, disturbed rest, frequently follow. To help keep your kidneys working properly—use **Dodd's Kidney Pills**—and see for yourself that all 'nerves' (and in not seen replaced by clean-headed energy and pep. Get used to Dodd's Kidney Pills today. 140

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THE TILLERS

WHY WASN'T I THINKING? YOU'VE HAD SUCH A WONDERFUL LIFE BEING MARRIED TO ME!

WHY DID YOU MEAN? YOU'VE HAD TO WORK SO HARD, MEBBIE IF YOU HAD MARRIED SOMEBODY ELSE YOU'D HAVE A BIG HOME—SERVANTS—A MAID!

GOODNESS, THOSE THINGS DON'T MATTER! IS YOU I LOVE! AS LONG AS I HAVE YOU I DON'T NEED SERVANTS OR A MAID!

AS LONG AS SHE HAS ME SHE DOESN'T NEED SERVANTS OR A MAID!

Population Trend Worries Great Britain

Fear Within Next 20 Years Nation Will Be Composed Mostly Of Very Young And Old

LONDON.—Britain lives in the shadow of an impending population crisis.

That is the opinion of population experts who warn the country is in danger of becoming a land composed mostly of the very young and the very old within the next 20 years. The reasons, they say, are a retreat from parenthood and a draining of middle-aged groups through migration.

Those are the main findings of a report just issued by Political and Economic Planning, an independent, non-party, fact-finding organization. It has been probing population trends since 1938.

To counter these population prospects for Britain, the report suggested adoption of a "population policy" by the government. This should strive to increase the average family to 2½ children and create conditions where people will want, as well as be able, to have "four or five" children.

The report predicted that Britain's population of 45,000,000 will be down 1,550,000 in 1970. At the same time that of western, central and northern Europe will be down by 9,000,000, that of southern and eastern Europe by 27,000,000 and that of Russia up by 77,000,000.

The report also suggested that in the next 20 years population growth would halt in Canada, Australia, the United States and among white South Africans. But it expects to continue "for several generations" in South America.

The report said that migration of the young and vigorous to the Dominions can only make Britain's age structure still more disadvantageous. This could be prevented only if the Dominions accept "an appropriate percentage of those who are a burden on the community." But prospects of other countries admitting a cross-section of Britain's population "are probably slight."

The report also found that the present increased birthrate in Britain may well be a temporary consequence of the war. It expected numbers soon would cease to increase and the population of elderly people "will grow from year to year."

THIS SAILOR REALLY STARTED SOMETHING

SAN FRANCISCO.—Fred Rutzet, 65, retired seaman, put on his yogi suit and went out on a fire escape.

A woman on the street screamed.

A bartender came out of a corner saloon and belted "He's going to jump."

Neighbors screamed, "Fire!"

Someone called the police, who learned that:

Rutzet's yogi suit is long underwear.

"It's all yogi. While I was a seaman on the Great Lakes I saw a sign in Chicago: 'Indo psychology taught here.' I learned yogi—inhalé six, stop for 16 heartbeats, exhale eight."

"If it wasn't for yogi I wouldn't be here," Rutzet told the cops.

That explanation seemed to satisfy everyone.

Pasteurized Milk Is Safe.

A Delicious Cool Drink

Directions: Make tea exactly as usual. While still hot pour into glasses filled with cracked ice. Add sugar and lemon to taste.

"SALADA"

ICED TEA

—By Les Carroll



GETS 20-POUND PIKE.—This 20-pound pike came out of Jasper Park's Talbot lake and he was caught only on one small hook of a trout spear. Fred G. Dehning, of Minneapolis, landed it after a 25-minute battle.

KITCHEN MEDITATIONS

Compensations

By JANE DALE

I have never seen the moonlight dancing upon the ocean wide; But I have seen the moonbeams dancing on pools across the countryside.

I have never seen a day-dawning from the top of a mountain high; But I have seen a prairie sunrise make glad a summer sky.

I have never heard a nightingale, or seen a peacock's fine array; But I have seen an oriole flashing and heard a robin's roundelay.

Not for me has been the pleasure of wearing orchids rich and rare; But I have had children's fingers twine daisies in my hair.

It has not been my lot to travel where wealthy people roam; But God has given me eyes to see all the beauties around my home.

The easiest way to keep silver clean is to use it.

For Quality— Mildness— Value.

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TOO OLD TO APPRECIATE

By HANK MCCALL

SALLY GIBSON had been raised in a gentle home, but her muttering was unfit to hear as she scowled at the white wake of a fast-moving speedboat. She flipped her tiller overboard, ducked under the boom, and swung her catboat into another tack. Once afloat on her new course, she squeezed salt water out of her hair and brushed the brine off her long brown legs and bathing suit. The racer had doused her with a solid sheet of foam.

"The fool," she growled, "there ought to be a law to keep such clowns off the water. My zosh, here comes another one!"

A black speck spouting white wings was skipping down the channel seemingly headed straight for her. She kept her eyes on it determined not to get another ducking. In the meantime the boy in the first boat had turned around and was skimming back to give her a second shower. It wasn't every day a good-looking girl was caught alone in the middle of the channel.

Sally, unaware of the approaching attack from her stern, focused on the new menace. The boat whizzed by within five yards. As she turned to shake her fist, her eyes glimpsed the returning sport. It was too late to do anything. The original tormentor was on her neck. He was aiming to pass at six inches. Then there was a splintering crash.

Sally arched through the air screaming, "Watch out!"

She bobbed up clear of her wrecked hull, swam over to it, and held on while her breath came back. She saw the sleek mahogany inboard nose into the water as it slowed to swing back for a rescue.

A life ring splashed beside her. She heard a voice, "You all right?" "I don't know. Get me out of the water."

The grinning face of a tanned young man peered down. Her temper snapped.

"Don't you laugh at me. I'm going to put you in jail, you, you—" Her tears cut her off. She felt a strong grip under her shoulders and then the vanished dock beneath her. For several seconds she lay there sobbing.

"I'm awfully sorry, honest. I didn't mean to—"

Sally regained her self-control. "You better be sorry. Don't stand there gawking, get a line on my boat before it sinks."

"It won't sink. Sit down, I'll get it."

He took in the sail, bubbling to himself. "What a courageous creature! What an introduction! If I can only smooth this over, brother Roger's eyes will pop out."

The line secured he turned to Sally and said, "We'll tow it back to our landing and bail it out. Say, you must want my name, don't you?" "I'm Bill Benson. I'm staying at my brother's cottage. This is his boat, by the way."

"I don't care whose boat it is. You're the man who hit me and you're the man who's going to pay." "Don't look at me in that tone of voice. I'm just a poor student on a vacation. My brother's the only one in the family with any money. You'll have to talk to him."

"You certainly are a fine one. Your brother didn't hit me, you did. I suppose it was all his fault?" Bill granted and hid the low line away from his propeller as he eased around to head up the channel. Then turned to his passenger.

"Don't sit there and snarl. The damage is done, you're not hurt, Roger will fix everything, so we may as well be friends. What's your name, Miss Fireball?"

"Sally Gibson. The damage is done! Look at the rents in my sail. And the hull, I hate to think of all the holes in it. I hope your brother has enough money to buy me another boat. If he doesn't, off to jail you go."

"Money! Roger is made of money. He's been making it for years, never even took time off to get married or go to college. He'll fix everything, don't worry."

"They have asylums for lunatics like you. You'd be at home there." "Don't be so bitter. I was just trying to have fun. You'd have gotten a big thrill if that wave hadn't knocked me into you."

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"Oh, so it was a wave! Not your fault at all. You're going to have a hard time proving that!"

The sun was setting as Bill steered for a private dock. In the background a green lawn spread out to a trim white cottage. A white pebble walk led up to its porch.

Here we are. That looks like Roger fishing on the dock. He's not going to like this, too old to appreciate a little fun."

A tall lean man of about thirty looked them over closely, frowned at the half-submerged tow. "What kind of trouble are you in now, Bill?"

"Aw, Roger, don't get riled. I just had a little accident. This is Miss Sally Gibson."

Roger made Sally sit down and explain matters. Bill went off to haul up the boat. Sally found it astonishingly easy to make her case with the older brother, whom she found pleasant and understanding. They reached a generous agreement over the repairs and walked down to the beach where Bill was struggling.

Bill announced, "Don't look like much damage. It's really getting too dark to tell much. I'll run you home now, Sally, and tomorrow afternoon I'll come back for you. We can settle this business and then go for a real boat ride. How does that sound?"

It was about three o'clock when Bill strutted up to the Gibson home. Mr. Gibson himself answered the door.

"Hello. I'm Bill Benson. Is Sally in?"

"No, son, she went for a speed boat ride. Look, there she goes now."

"In that boat? Why, that's my brother's! Say, who's that guy she's snuggled up to?"

Mr. Gibson took a long puff on his pipe and smiled, "Well, son, I'd say that must be your brother."

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New Brunswick Uses Unique Balloting Plan

FREDERICTON.—The system of balloting used in the June 28 New Brunswick general election is believed unique in Canada.

Each party prints ballots containing only the names of its own candidates; or a voter can use a blank piece of paper supplied by the returning officer.

When a voter enters the polling place he is handed one party-printed ballot by each party contesting the seat. He is also given an initialed envelope by the returning officer.

The voter enters the booth, marks the ballot of the party he wishes to support by placing the usual "X" against each of the party's candidates in the riding, and places it in the envelope. He does not seal the envelope.

The returning officer examines the envelope to make sure it is the one furnished by him. Then, in the presence of the voter, he drops it into the ballot box.

If a voter requests it, the returning officer will furnish a blank slip on which the voter may write or letter the names of candidates for whom he wishes to vote.

When the ballots are being counted, any envelopes containing more than one ballot is classed spoiled and all ballots in the envelope are invalid.

If he wishes, however, a voter may strike out any name appearing on the party ballot and write in the name of another candidate.

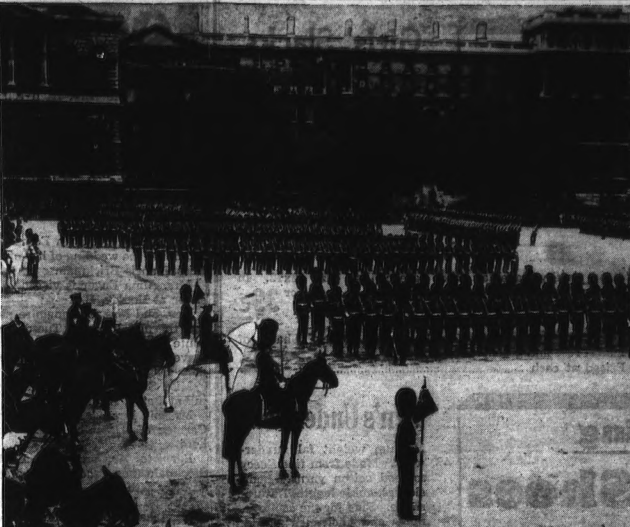
In this way, a voter may use a party ballot but vote for members of another party or split his vote. Thus, in a riding where there are four candidates, a voter could vote for two on the party ballot, strike out the remaining two and add the names of the two candidates of another party.

If he adds the name of a person not nominated as a candidate or adds more candidates than there are members to be elected in the riding, the ballot is spoiled.

BRITAIN'S NEW ALUMINIUM CAR IS LOW PRICED

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LONDON SEES GUARDS IN SCARLET AND BEARSKINS AGAIN—Resplendent in pre-war scarlet, white and black uniforms, famed British Guards regiment gave London its most colorful show of the year when the traditional trooping of the color ceremony took place. In full dress uniform, Guards marched past the saluting base. Representatives of the King and Duke of Gloucester took the salute.

HOME ECONOMICS INSTRUCTOR SAYS 88c A DAY CAN PROVIDE NOURISHING MEALS

DAVIS, Calif.—A housewife with a caloric-conscious eye and a firm grip on her pocketbook can produce three nutritious meals a day for 88 cents.

Miss Laura Morse, home economics instructor of the University of California, College of Agriculture, says it's so, despite soaring prices.

But, if the housewife thinks only of the pennies saved and ignores the nutrients lost, her 88 cents will provide a diet far short of a person's food needs, Miss Morse maintains.

The girls in her home economics class prepared two sets of meals, each costing 88 cents in all for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

They don't claim the following meals to be delicious, but they insist they're nutritious.

Breakfast would include a soft-boiled egg, two slices of wholesome toast, butter and grapefruit juice.

One lettuce and cheese sandwich on wholewheat bread, pea soup, lettuce salad with mayonnaise, prune whip and milk would be the entree lunch.

Finally, the model meal for dinner would be fried liver, one baked potato, sliced raw carrots, cabbage salad and mayonnaise dressing, applesauce and milk.

Miss Morse lists the likes of potato salad, cucumbers, baked beans, avocado salad and apple pie as tasty—maybe—but low in food value.

She has helped prepare a chart—"D. 460"—Checking Food Values in the Daily Diet. Thus, with one eye on the grocery store specials and the other on the chart, the housewife can plan her meals to get the most food value for her money, Miss Morse says.

REAL CO-OPERATION IN NEW YORK COURT CASE

NEW YORK.—Max Luman appeared in court to collect \$11 from James Hammond for damage to Luman's automobile. When Hammond said he couldn't pay, Magistrate Hyman Bushel suggested the matter be settled by both Luman and Hammond sending \$5 to the New York Heart Association. Hammond agreed on condition that the magistrate donate \$5 also. The heart association got \$15.

HAZARDOUS JOB

JOHNSON CITY, N.Y.—Florence Bebel, 13, is not so sure she likes baby-sitting. She was treated at a hospital for facial laceration after her charge, a neighbor's four-year-old, struck her with a golf club.

HOBBIES

Some people save up funny things—Old clocks, old mugs or lamps. Old books, or bugs, or bumblebees. Postmarks, trade marks or stamps. Perhaps it's china, silverware, Or whatever by the score.—No matter what their hobby is, They still keep wanting more. —T. B. Gleave.

PEGGY

PEGGY SLOW DOWN, DEAR—LET THE PHONE RING A WHILE. THE PHONE MAY BE WINDY!

DON'T LET HIM THINK YOU'RE SO ANXIOUS—BE HARD TO GET!

HAI! THAT DOESN'T ALWAYS MEET YOUR MOTHER'S USED TO PLAY HARD TO GET, TOO!

I NEVER GOT GOT!

—By Chuck Thurston

TRAPPER FOUND BEAVER A VERY GOOD PARTNER

THE PAR Man.—Of interest to residents of Thicket Portage, the centre of Manitoba's revitalized beaver industry, is the report of last summer's study by J. B. Nash, University of Manitoba biologist, who described a strange engineering partnership between a trapper and his beaver.

The trapper was the late Joseph Hermansky, who died suddenly last fall. Mr. Nash describes how Mr. Hermansky built portions of a dam on his trap line on MacLaren's Creek during the day, and the beaver finished his work each night.

So closely did the trapper and the beaver work together that Mr. Hermansky finally built just the heavy cribbing portions of the dam, confident that next morning all the chinking and filling would be done by the beaver. The plan worked and the dam still stands.

OLD SCHOOL REMEMBERED BY OTTAWA ARCHITECT

OTTAWA.—The old school tie was strong with Alban Tracey, Ottawa architect who died May 28.

His will disclosed a trust fund of \$1,000 to be used to provide a hamper of apples each Halloween and Christmas for children of No. 2 public school at South March, Ont., 16 miles west of here.

Remainder of the fund will be for proficiency prizes at the school.

POFFY IS WEAKER

WAKEFIELD, England.—Mrs. Ellen Walker, 101, blows a miniature bugle to summon her backdoor son, George, 73, from his nearby vegetable garden. She used to use a regulation army bugle but hasn't "enough puff" now.

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A.F.U. Convention

(continued from front page)

ening meeting and reported on the years work. Gave a detailed account of the delegations to Ottawa. Farmers should make it a point to attend your district convention and hear what your organization is doing for you.

Mr. Stimpfle stressed the need of farmers to be organized, said the manufacturers wouldn't last six months if they were not organized.

The AFU delegation talked with the leaders of all parties at Ottawa as well as cabinet ministers. They were able to give them a clear picture of what conditions actually are in the west. These people at Ottawa are busy and out of touch with conditions as they actually exist.

The British Market is our best bet, if British capital were invested in Canada to the same extent that U.S.A. capital is, we would have no trade difficulties.

Stimpfle said re amalgamation our most important step would be to elect leaders that would carry out the wishes of the membership.

God Save the King.

Edith Hanson,
Sec. A.F.U. District 8.

LOCALS

The regular A.F.U. meeting will be held in the Irma High school on Tuesday evening, Aug. 10th. The report of the Wainwright convention will be given at this meeting. A good attendance is requested.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Milne and family spent a few days last week with Mr. Milne's father at Coronation.

Miss W. Reeves is in Edmonton attending the wedding of her niece, Miss Francis Brickman.

Mrs. Alma Enger is visiting her sister at Hedley, B.C.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Longmire passed through Irma on Tuesday en route to Provost. They expect to leave their new field at Cloverdale, B.C. very shortly.

Miss Shirley Enger is holidaying at Botha, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. C. DeTro and son Carmen of Edmonton are visiting here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Stockdale (nee Grace Rome) a son on July 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stewart of Edmonton have been holidaying for the past ten days with the Stockton and Milton families.

Mrs. G. M. Holt underwent a major operation in the Lamont hospital on Thursday last. Word has been received that she is progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Allison Carter were visitors in Irma last Thursday.

Gordon Oleson of Edmonton is visiting on the farm with Gordon Hollinger.

A garden party will be held at the home of J. R. Routledge on Wednesday, Aug. 18th, under the auspices of Melbrae United church.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid will be on Thursday, August 12th at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. J. Fenton. Devotionals—Mrs. McLean. Topic—Mrs. M. Enger. Hostesses Mrs. Targett and Mrs. Frickelton. All ladies wishing to attend please meet at the church at 2:15 where conveyances will be available to take them to the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Swanson and daughter, Dorey of Edmonton were visitors this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Larson.

Mrs. M. Archibald has returned to her home in the Peace River District after spending an enjoyable holiday at the home of her aunt, Mrs. John Archibald of Irma.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hubbs, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. Inklin, returned to their home in Edmonton. Miss Carolyn Inklin accompanied them and will spend a few days in the city.

VIKING ITEMS

Camrose federal riding will be represented at the convention being held in Ottawa starting Thursday this week to elect a new Liberal leader, by L. C. McIntyre, Viking, J. W. Stambaugh, Bruce, and A. Burgess, of Camrose as delegates. They left by plane for Ottawa together with other northern Alberta delegates Tuesday afternoon. There is considerable speculation as to who will be chosen, as leader of the Liberal party in Canada as there are several candidates, but at this writing Hon. St. Laurent of Quebec seems to have the inside track.

Ivan Hollar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hollar, was taken to the Royal Alexandra hospital for medical treatment. Ivan, who is now fifteen years old, was injured about nine years ago and it is hoped that the doctors can repair the injury to his left leg.

Mrs. Anne Loades and young son, Ronnie, left on Sunday for North Battleford, Sask., where they will make their future home. They were accompanied to Edmonton by Esther Swanson, Rosemary Mattinson, and Jim Gregg, Martin Finseth of Ryley.

Monte and Cliff Hoskins were over from Lloydminster this week end for a visit at the home their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hoskins.

In a best of 3 series in the provincial men's football playoffs, the Viking team lost to Red Deer in two games played in Edmonton on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Stenes, of Los Angeles, Cal. have been at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kjelland. Mrs. Stenes is a sister of Mrs. Kjelland. Before returning to their home in California they will motor to Jasper, Banff and Calgary. They visited here about nine years ago.

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